

THE BRITISH-AMERICAN OIL PRODUCING COMPANY

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January 19, 1962

United States Geological Survey
P. O. Box 959
Farmington, New Mexico

Re: Federal Lease Santa Fe 095075
Government Reilly
San Juan County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Enclosed herewith are executed copies of "Designation of Operator" covering all of Section 19 and the W/2 SW/4 and SE/4 SW/4 of Section 20-30N-14W, San Juan County, New Mexico. This instrument designates British-American as Operator of subject lands.

Also enclosed is the original "Bond of Oil and Gas Lessee", Bond No. 873157, to cover rotary drilling operations on this lease.

Our Farmington Field Office will, in the very near future, file Form 9-331a "Intent to Drill" a test well on this lease.

Very truly yours,

THE BRITISH-AMERICAN OIL PRODUCING COMPANY

Original Signed
By Thomas M. Hogan
Thomas M. Hogan
District Superintendent

TMH/AHH/Ys
Enc.

cc: ✓ New Mexico Oil & Gas Conservation Commission
1000 Rio Brazos Road
Aztec, New Mexico
Fred A. Norris
N. R. Stone

NMOCC: Attached are copies of subject instruments for your records.

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THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO

CHICAGO, ILL.

DECEMBER 10, 1918

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TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO

Very respectfully,
Yours truly,
[Signature]

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Supervisor, Oil & Gas Operations:

DESIGNATION OF OPERATOR

The undersigned is, on the records of the General Land Office,
holder of oil and gas lease

U. S. Land Office: **SANTA FE**
Serial Number: **095075**

and hereby designates

Name: **The British-American Oil Producing Company**
Address: **P. O. Box 749, Dallas 21, Texas**

as his operator and local agent, with full authority to act in his be-
half in complying with the terms of the lease and regulations applicable
thereto and on whom the supervisor or his representative may serve written
or oral instructions in securing compliance with the Oil & Gas Operating
Regulations with respect to (describe acreage to which this designation
is applicable)

Township 30 North, Range 14 West
Section 19: All
Section 20: W/2 SW/4 and SE/4 SW/4

It is understood that this designation of operator does not re-
lieve the lessee of responsibility for compliance with the terms of the
lease and the Oil & Gas Operating Regulations. It is also understood
that this designation of operator does not constitute an assignment of
any interest in the lease.

In case of default on the part of the designated operator, the
lessee will make full and prompt compliance with all regulations, lease
terms, or orders of the Secretary of the Interior or his representative.

The lessee agrees promptly to notify the oil and gas supervisor of
any change in the designated operator.

BOXER CORP.

T. C. Thompson - President

(Signature of Lessee)

604 National Bank of Commerce Bldg.
San Antonio, Texas

(Address)

January 1, 1957

(Date)

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENTOffice Santa Fe
Serial No. 095075
Bond Number 873157

BOND OF OIL AND GAS LESSEE

(Act of Feb. 25, 1920 (41 Stat. 437), as amended)

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, Boxer Corporation
of the county of Bexar, in the State of Texas
as principal, and The Travelers Indemnity Company, of the
county of Hartford, in the State of Connecticut, as
surety, are held and firmly bound unto the United States of America in the sum of TEN THOUSAND AND
NO/100 - - - - - dollars (\$10,000.00), lawful money of the
United States, for the use and benefit of the United States and of any entryman or patentee of any por-
tion of the land covered by the hereinafter-described lease heretofore entered or patented with a reserva-
tion of the oil and gas deposits to the United States, and any lessee under lease heretofore issued by the
United States of other mineral deposits in any portion of such land, to be paid to the United States, for
which payment, well and truly to be made, we, by these presents, bind ourselves, and each of us, and each
of our heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns, jointly and severally, upon the following
conditions, viz:

The condition of the foregoing obligation is such that, whereas the said principal, by instrument
dated February 1, 1961, has been granted an exclusive right to drill for, mine,
extract, remove, and dispose of all the oil and gas deposits in or under the following-described lands:

Section 19, W/2 SW/4, SE/4 SW/4 Section 20-30 North-14 West
San Juan County, New Mexico

under and pursuant to the provisions of the act approved February 25, 1920 (41 Stat. 437), as amended;
and

Whereas the said principal has by such instrument entered into certain covenants and agreements
set forth therein, under which operations are to be conducted; and

Whereas, the surety waives any right to notice of, and agrees that this bond shall remain in full force
and effect, notwithstanding:

1. Any assignment or assignments of an undivided interest in the entire leasehold, in which event
the assignee or assignees shall be considered to be coprincipal or coprincipals on this bond as fully and
to the same extent as though his or their duly authenticated signatures appeared thereon.

2. Any assignment of some of the lands described in the lease, the bond to remain in full force and
effect only as to the lands retained in the lease.

NOW, THEREFORE, If said principal shall faithfully comply with all the provisions of the above-
described lease, then the above obligation is to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

Signed with our hands and sealed with our seals this 12th day of January, 19 62

Signed, sealed, and delivered in presence of—

Name and address of witness:

Karoline S. Moreland

Karoline S. Moreland
447 Mt. Vernon
San Antonio, Texas

Kenneth S. Bruhl
Encino Road
San Antonio, Texas

BOXER CORPORATION

BY: R. L. Thompson [L. S.]
(Principal)

THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY

BY: Holway D. Farrar, Jr. [L. S.]
Holway D. Farrar, Jr., (Surety) Attorney-in-fact
201 North St. Mary's Street, San Antonio, Texas
(Address of Surety)

The Travelers Indemnity Company

Hartford, Connecticut

POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY, a corporation of the State of Connecticut, does hereby make, constitute and appoint

— W. J. Caughey, Jr., Charles W. Crabb, Holway D. Farrar, Jr., Edward M. Glass, Rob Roy MacGregor, Fred A. Sommers, Jr., all of San Antonio, Texas, and J. Burns Smith of Corpus Christi, Texas, EACH

its true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact, with full power and authority, for and on behalf of the Company as surety, to execute and deliver and affix the seal of the Company thereto, if a seal is required, bonds, undertakings, recognizances or other written obligations in the nature thereof, as follows:

— Any and all bonds, undertakings, recognizances or other written obligations in the nature thereof

and to bind THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY thereby, and all of the acts of said Attorney(s)-in-Fact, pursuant to these presents, are hereby ratified and confirmed.

This appointment is made under and by authority of the following by-laws of the Company which by-laws are now in full force and effect:

ARTICLE IV, SECTION 10. The President, the Chairman of the Finance Committee, the Chairman of the Insurance Executive Committee, any Vice President, any Secretary or any Department Secretary may appoint attorneys-in-fact or agents with power and authority, as defined or limited in their respective powers of attorney, for and on behalf of the Company to execute and deliver, and affix the seal of the Company thereto, bonds, undertakings, recognizances or other written obligations in the nature thereof and any of said officers may remove any such attorney-in-fact or agent and revoke the power and authority given to him.

ARTICLE IV, SECTION 12. Any bond, undertaking, recognizance or written obligation in the nature thereof shall be valid and binding upon the Company when signed by the President, the Chairman of the Finance Committee, the Chairman of the Insurance Executive Committee, or any Vice President and duly attested and sealed, if a seal is required, by any Secretary or any Department Secretary or any Assistant Secretary, or when signed by the President, the Chairman of the Finance Committee, the Chairman of the Insurance Executive Committee, or any Vice President and countersigned and sealed, if a seal is required, by a duly authorized attorney-in-fact or agent; and any such bond, undertaking, recognizance or written obligation in the nature thereof shall be valid and binding upon the Company when duly executed and sealed, if a seal is required, by one or more attorneys-in-fact or agents pursuant to and within the limits of the authority granted by his or their power or powers of attorney.

This power of attorney is signed and sealed by facsimile under and by the authority of the following Resolution adopted by the Directors of THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY at a meeting duly called and held on the 30th day of November, 1959:

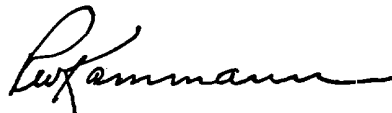
VOTED: That the signature of any officer authorized by the By-Laws and the Company seal may be affixed by facsimile to any power of attorney or special power of attorney or certification of either given for the execution of any bond, undertaking, recognizance or other written obligation in the nature thereof; such signature and seal, when so used being hereby adopted by the Company as the original signature of such officer and the original seal of the Company, to be valid and binding upon the Company with the same force and effect as though manually affixed.

— This power of attorney revokes that issued October 19, 1959 on behalf of W. J. Caughey, Jr., Charles W. Crabb, Edward M. Glass, Rob Roy MacGregor, Fred A. Sommers, Jr., all of San Antonio, Texas, and J. Burns Smith of Corpus Christi, Texas

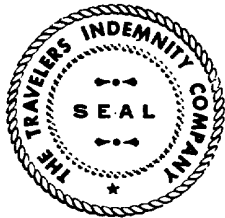
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY has caused these presents to be signed by its proper officer and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed this 1st day of September 19 60.

THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY

By

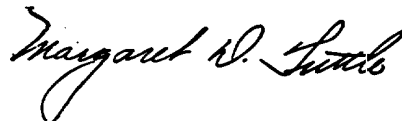
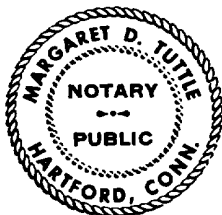


Secretary, Fidelity and Surety



State of Connecticut, County of Hartford—ss:

On this 1st day of September in the year 1960 before me personally came R. W. Kammann to me known, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say: that he resides in the State of Connecticut; that he is Secretary (Fidelity and Surety) of THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY, the corporation described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knows the seal of said corporation; that the seal affixed to said instrument is such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by authority of his office under the by-laws of said corporation, and that he signed his name thereto by like authority.




Notary Public

My commission expires April 1, 1964

CERTIFICATION

I, W. A. Person, Assistant Secretary (Fidelity and Surety) of THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY certify that the foregoing power of attorney, the above quoted Sections 10 and 12 of Article IV of the By-Laws and the Resolution of the Board of Directors of November 30, 1959 have not been modified or revoked and are now in full force and effect.

Signed and Sealed at Hartford, Connecticut, this 12th day of January 19 62.



Assistant Secretary, Fidelity and Surety